

PRINT CHAIN SUMMARY

INTRODUCTION

This booklet contains standard character set layouts representative of print chains used on MDS End-User and OEM Chain Printers. Character sets of 16, 48, 64, 96 and 128 characters are depicted.

A print chain is constructed of 96 four-character slugs mounted end-to-end on a belt. A 16-character set requires 4 slugs, therefore, the entire set can be repeated 24 times. Repeatability depends upon the size of the character set selected.

The printing speed of a chain printer is rated in part, upon the size of the character set and the frequency with which that set can be printed. The nominal printing speeds for the standard character sets are listed in table form herein.

Standard type styles are MDS .097, OCR-A, OCR-B, KATAKANA, MDS LABEL FONT, and CYRILLIC. The .097 font is a sans-serif type style designed for maximum legibility. It has a squared alpha "0" and a rounded numeric "zero" to eliminate confusion between alpha and numeric groupings. OCR-A is the standard type style for Optical Character Readers used in the United States. OCR-B is the standard type style for optical character readers used in Europe, and has been designed to meet the requirements of ECMA. The Katakana type style is the Japanese EDP standard. A label Font and Cyrillic Font are also available.

All of these styles are illustrated on the sample sheets herein.

Two separate chain listings are furnished, one for End-User Chain Printers and one for OEM Chain Printers. Most End-User chains are ordered by a double feature number and some are ordered by a Part Number (P/N.) OEM chains are ordered by P/N; however, the End-User chain cartridges may be ordered for OEM Chain Printers.

The bold boxed-in sequence number for the P/N and Feature number listings refers to the same number associated with the chain layouts. There is a separate listing and layout sheet for each category, i.e., End-User or OEM.

The chain layouts show the first line of each style with four characters depicted on each slug. Each chain layout illustrated below the first line shows only the slugs that are different.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

A special arrangement is one ordered to rearrange the characters of a standard type-slug and/or to substitute other characters selected from available type (artwork). New characters may also be specified by the customer.

Requirements for special arrangements and/or new characters are subject to acceptance by MDS via an RPQ.

NOTE:

Inclusion in this catalog of special fonts such as OCR-A, OCR-B etc., does not necessarily guarantee that any such characters will print according to the specification standards for the font.

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TABLE OF PRINT RATES (lines per minute)

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CHARACTER SET	2443	2444	2445 ⁽¹⁾	7530
16	350	450	900	350
48	280	380	380	280
64	200	300	600	200
96	170	210	470	170
128	150	162	370	150

(1) OCR-A and OCR-B cartridge evaluation tests have not been completed for this printer. Have your Sales Representative check with Engineering before ordering one of these cartridges.

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2	HONEYWELL					24576 24586	576 586						020533901	02060902
3	UNIVAC XS-3					24576 24587	576 587						020533901	02060902
4	BURROUGHS 5000					24576 24588	576 588						020533901	02060902
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4	MDS 1100	602205	602204	602208			BCD	020373311	020429635
5	IBM 1401 A			602209			BCD	020373312	020429636
6	IBM 1401 H		602204	602210			BCD	020373313	020429637
7	MDS 1100 F470 BURROUGHS 5000 NCR-Compatible	602205 602205 602205	602204 602204 602204	602211 602211 602211			BCD B-BCD N-BCD	020373314 020373318 020373302	020429638 020429642 020429631
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12	U-K (ECMA)			602214			*ECMA	020373304	020429633
13	GERMAN (ECMA)			602215			**ECMA ECMA	020373305 020373301	020429634 020429630
14	IBM 48-H/HN		602206				4330	020373306	020602906
15	LABEL FONT			602213	Property desired		BCD +EBCDIC	020373311 020373303	020429635 020429632
16	USASCSOCR (OCR-A)	560021	560022	560007	400000		EBCDIC	GORGEO PRINTING	020602905
17	USASCSOCR (OCR-A)	602321			ANTONIO ANTONIO		EBCDIC	States passes	020602905
18	GERMANY (OCR-B)	602401	602402	602403	602404	602405	EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
19	SWEDEN/FINLAND (OCR-B)	602406	602407	602408	602409	47042-00000	EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
20	DENMARK/NORWAY (OCR-B)	602410	602411	602412	602413		EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
21	UNITED KINGDOM (OCR-B)	602414	602415	602416	602417	602418	EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
22	FRANCE (OCR-B)	602419	602420	602421	602422	602423	EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
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24	BRAZIL/PORTUGAL (OCR-B)			602435			EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
25	YUGOSLAVIA (BCD) (OCR-B)			602436	Nitronia atravera		EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
26	SPAIN (BCD) (OCR-B)	602438		602437			EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
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29	DENMARK (ECMA)	602438	602439	602428	602429		EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
30	UNITED KINGDOM (ECMA)	602438		602430	602431		EBCDIC	020533901	020602902
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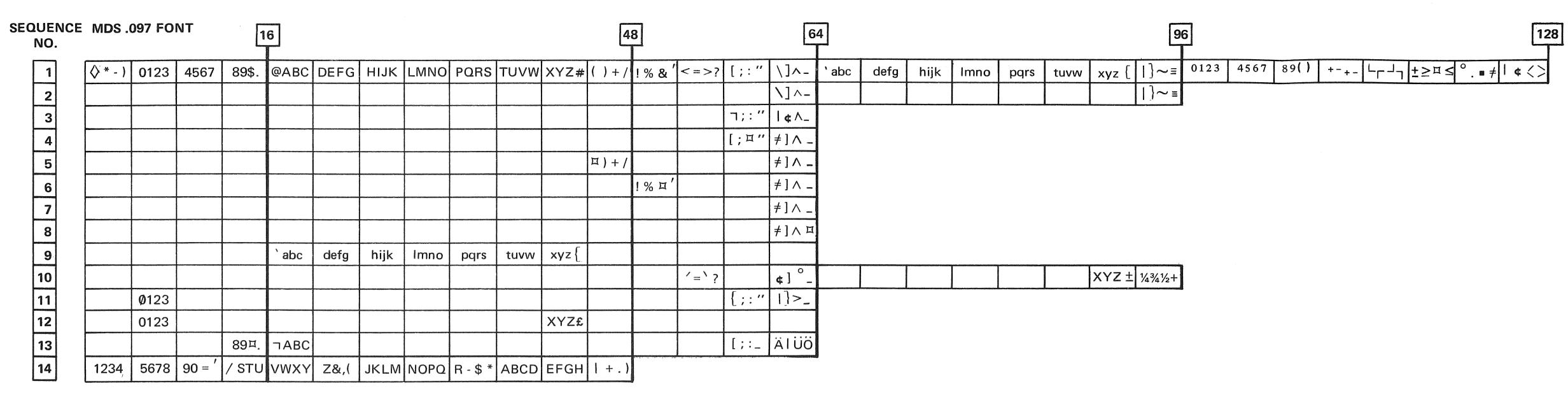
Consult the Factory regarding availability of any part not listed.

NOTES: *6-Level ASCII/ECMA Bit b6 suppressed.

^{**6-}Level ASCII/ECMA Bit b7 suppressed.

⁺⁶⁻Level truncated EBCDIC

Hyphens (--) indicate character set inappropriate for intended compatibility.



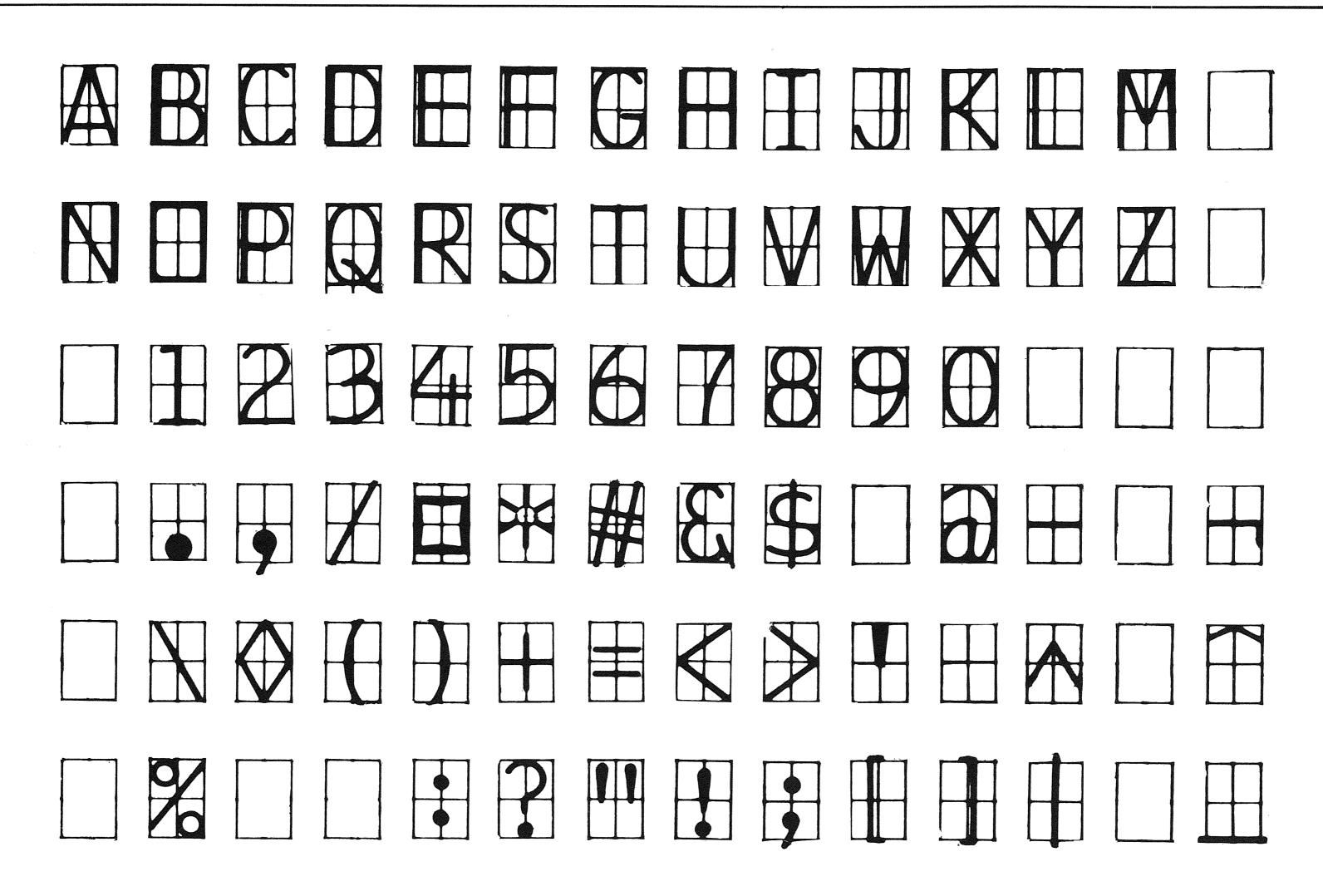
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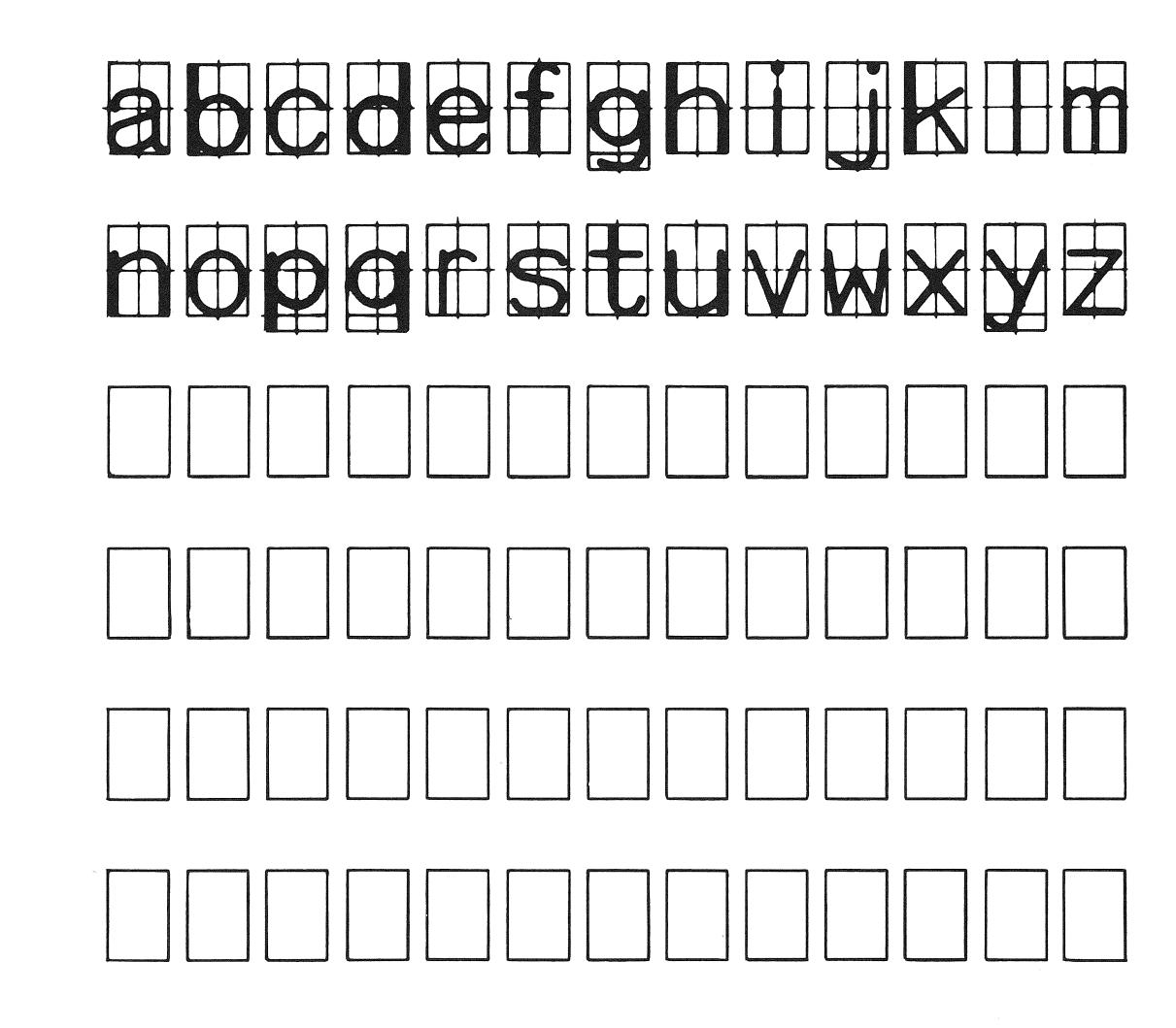
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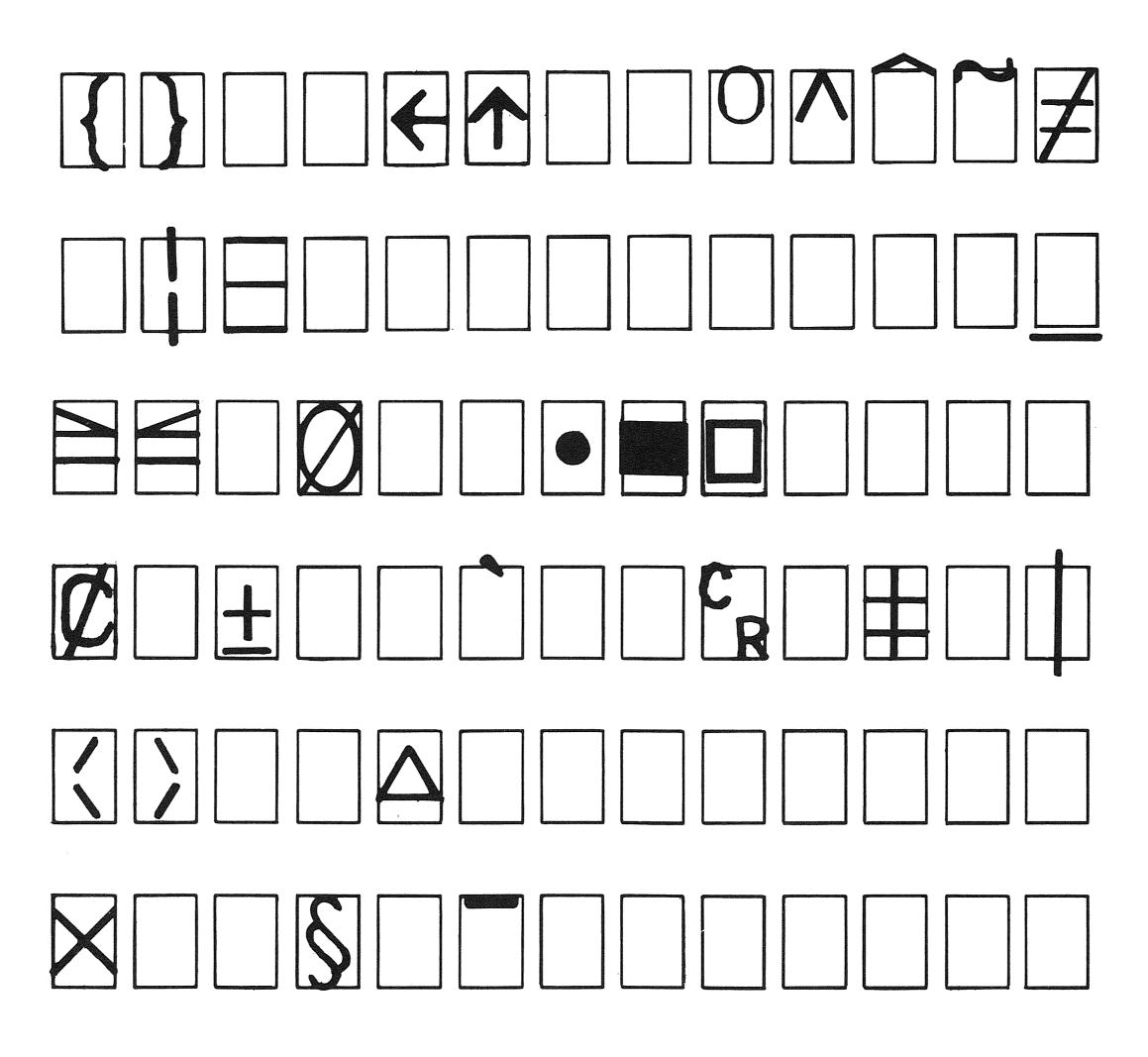
For the MDS Chain Printer (all models), the characters illustrated above are Standard Type. All alphanumeric and special graphics characters of the 16-, 48-, and 64-Character Sets of the basic standard arrangements are shown. For those characters included in a specific arrangement, see "Chain Layouts" for the appropriate printer model.

Figure 1. Basic Character Set, Standard Type (0.097"), MDS Chain Printers



For the MDS Chain Printer (all models), the characters illustrated above are MDS Standard Type. The lower case letters of standard 96- and 128-character sets (Domestic) are shown.

Figure 2. Lower Case Letters, Standard Type, MDS Chain Printers



For the MDS Chain Printer (all models), the characters illustrated above are Standard Type. For those included in a specific arrangement, see "Chain Layouts" for the appropriate model.

Figure 3. Special Graphics, Standard Type, MDS Chain Printers

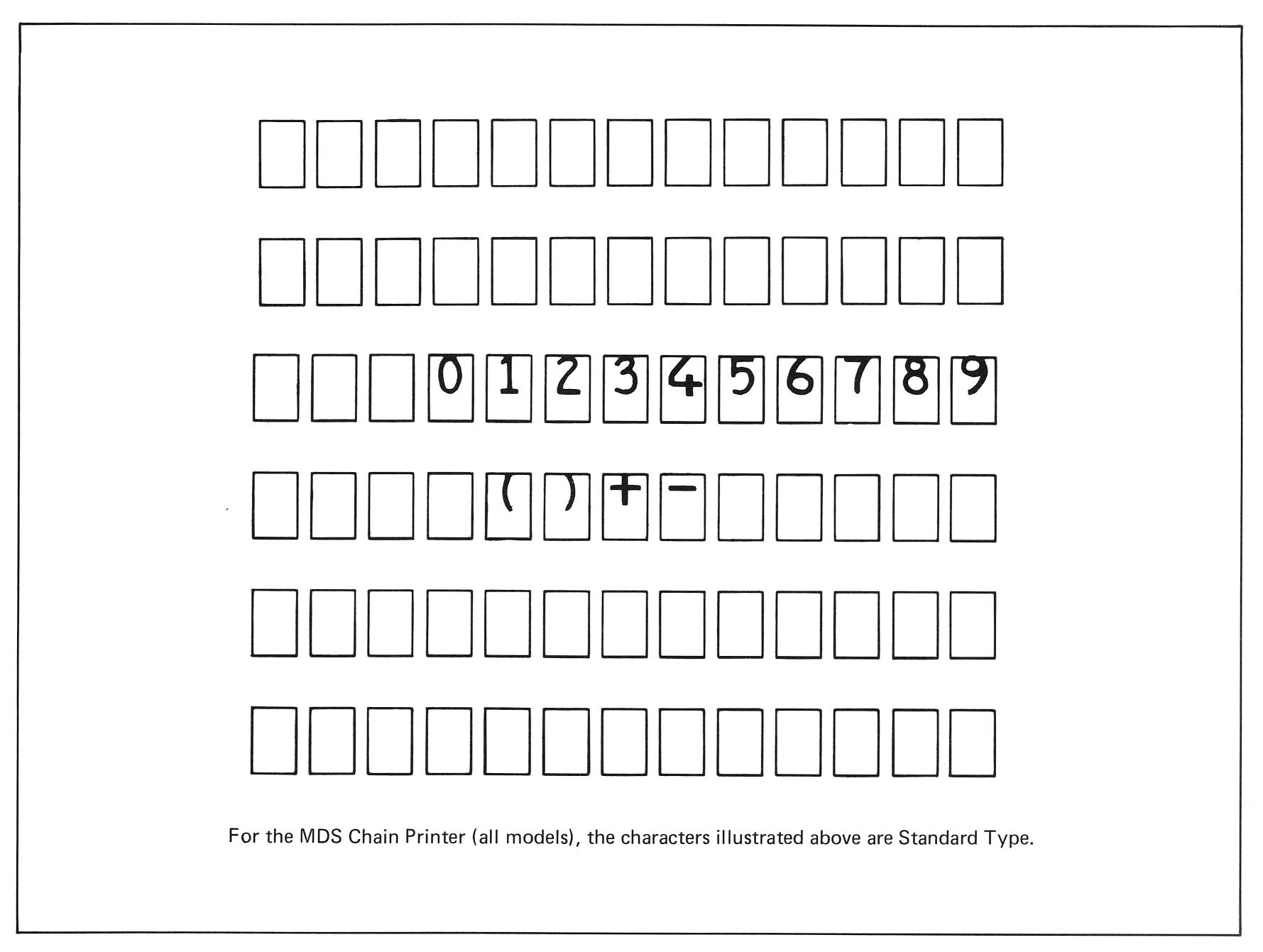


Figure 4. Special Superscript Characters, Standard Type, MDS Chain Printers

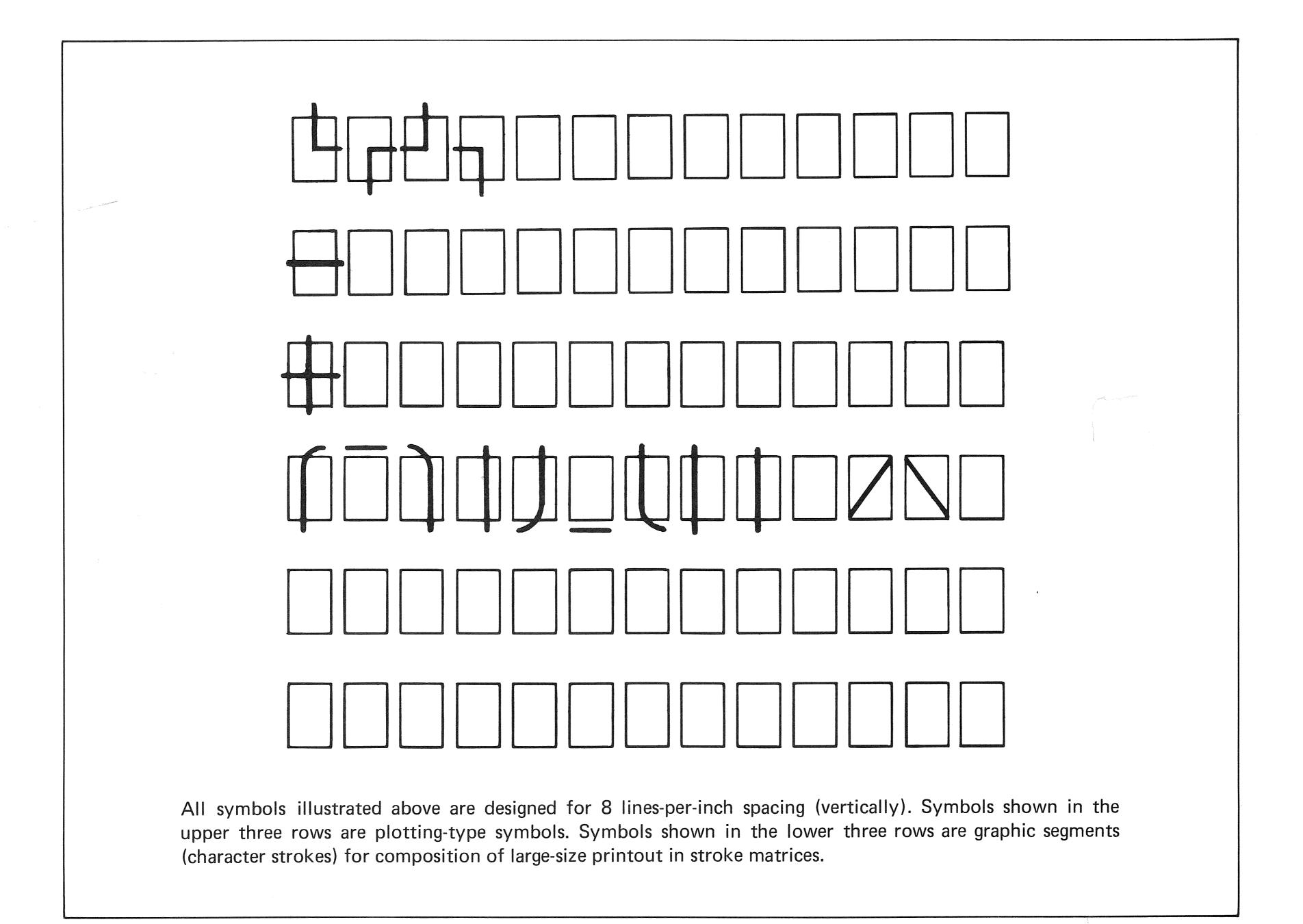


Figure 5. Special Purpose Symbols, MDS Chain Printers

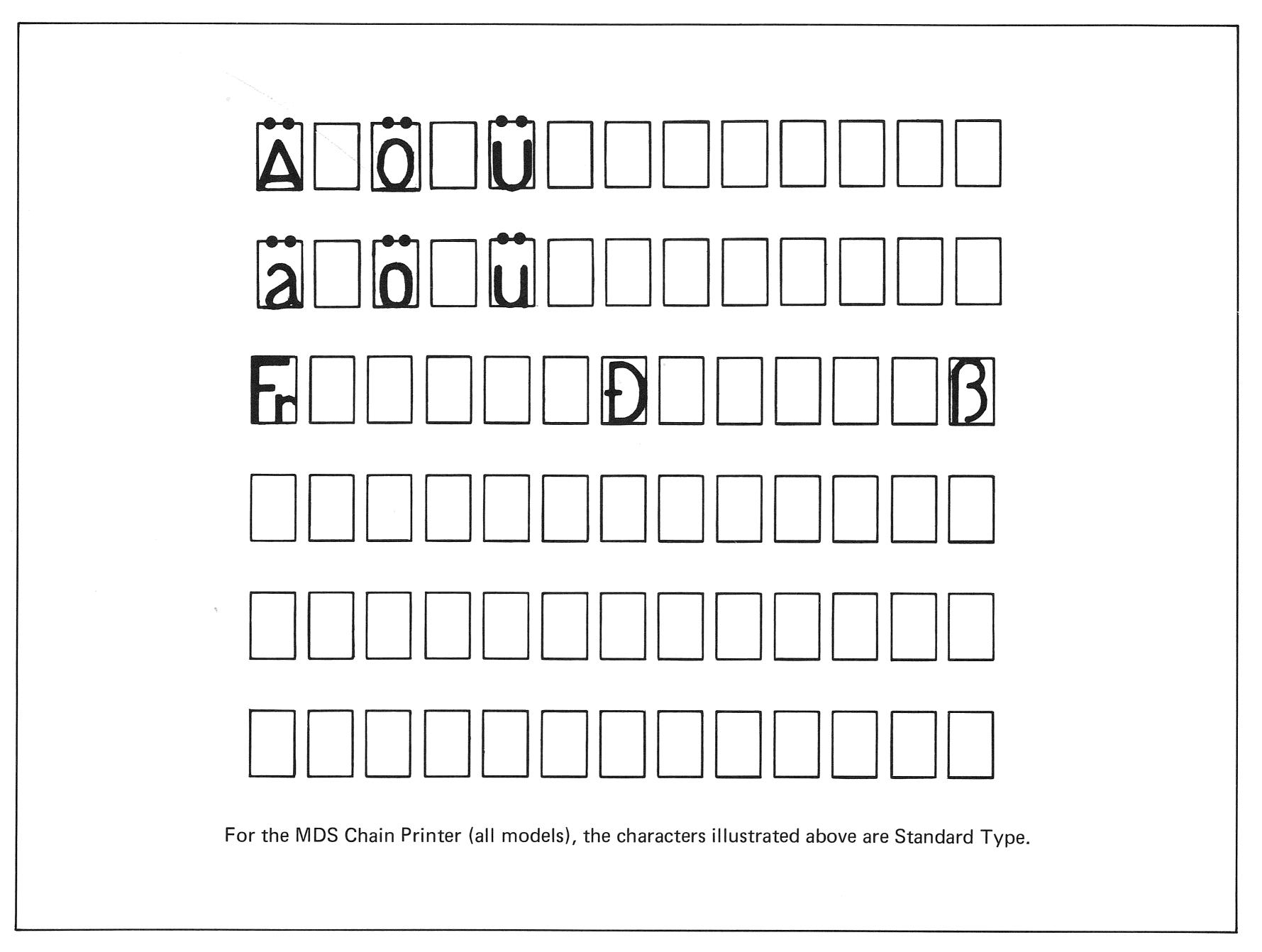


Figure 6. National Characters, Standard Type, MDS Chain Printers

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- NOTES: (1) Not Equals (≠) is not a ANSI OCR character but is a composite of ANSI OCR characters Equals (=) and Slant (/).
 - (2) All other characters illustrated above are designed to meet the requirements of the American National Standards Institute for Size A characters for Optical Character Recognition (USASCSOCR X3.17-1966).

Figure 7. MDS ANSI Optical Character Recognition Type, Size A, MDS Chain Printers

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See next page for notes.

Figure 8. MDS ECMA Optical Character Recognition Type, Class B, Size I, MDS Chain Printers

NOTES:

- 1. The characters illustrated on page 17 are standard type for standard European Character Sets for the MDS Chain Printer. All "OCR-B" alphanumeric, special graphic, National Alphabetic and National Monetary characters of the standard European Character Sets are shown. For those Characters included in a specific arrangement, see "Chain Layouts" for the appropriate printer model.
- 2. Except as noted below, the characters illustrated are designed to meet the requirements of the European Computer Manufacturers Association (ECMA) for Class B, Size I characters for optical character recognition (ECMA-11, 1965).
- 3. The ECMA-alternate location of Comma (,) and Semicolon (;), such as to appear on or above the baseline, is standard for the MDS Chain Printer. The ECMA-standard location of these characters, such as to extend below the baseline, is an alternate style (indicated by an asterisk *).
- 4. The location of Underline (___) is slightly raised from the ECMA-standard to facilitate printing on standard MDS Chain Printers (indicated by a +).
- 5. Refer to Figure 9 for MDS Composite ECMA OCR-B characters for standard European character sets for the MDS Chain Printer.

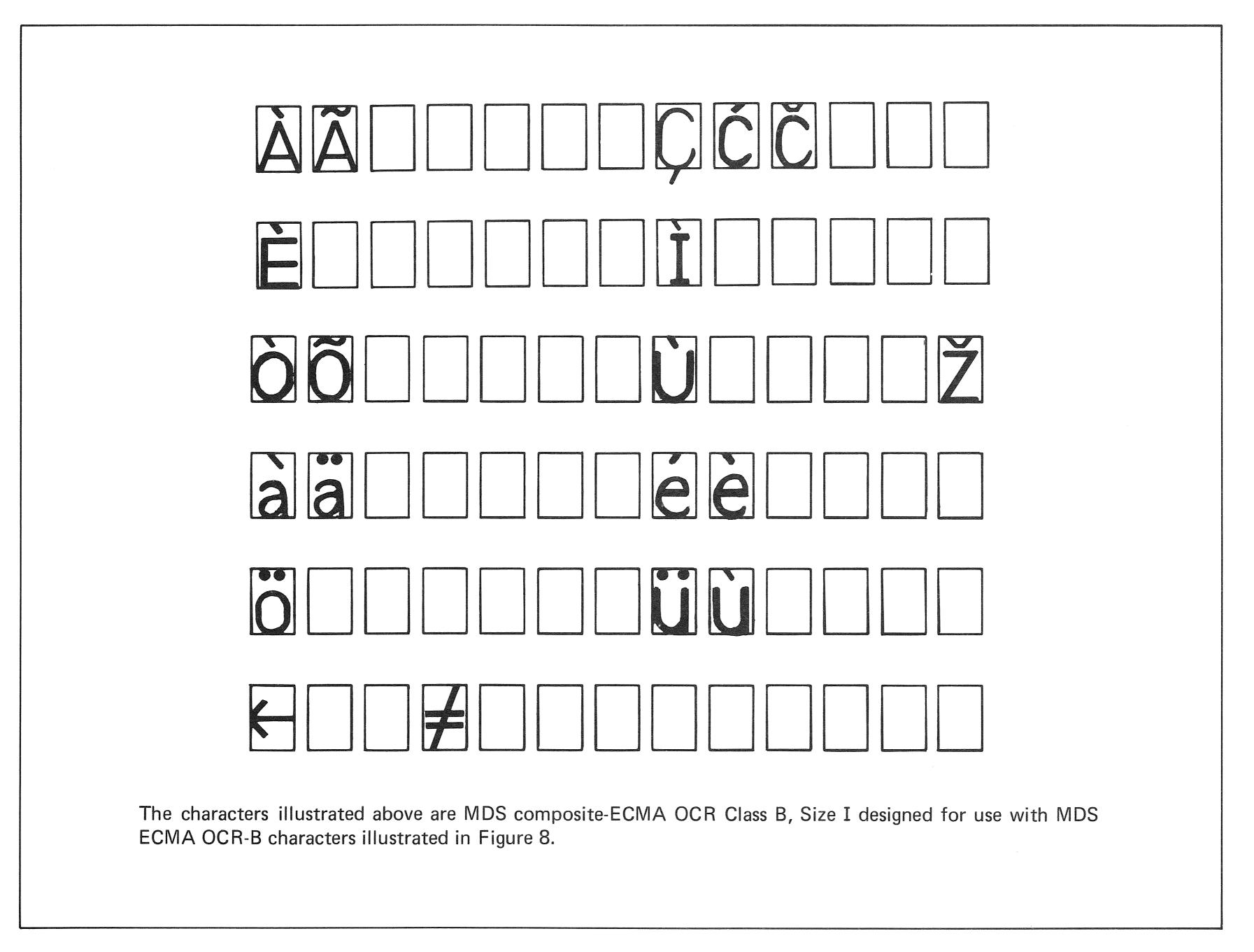


Figure 9. MDS Composite ECMA Optical Character Recognition Type, Class B, Size I; MDS Chain Printers

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For the MDS Chain Printer (all models), the characters illustrated above are standard type for standard Japanese Katakana character sets, Yen (¥) is non-Katakana.

Figure 10. MDS Katakana Type, Japanese EDP Standard Character Set, MDS Chain Printers

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